

Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to the Rural Health Care Transition grant program; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-3605. A communication from the Commissioner, General Services Administration, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of the status of the National Laboratory Center and the Fire Investigation Research and Education facility; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-3606. A communication from the Director, Office of Thrift Supervision, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the 1998 annual report on the Preservation of Minority Savings Institutions; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-3607. A communication from the Chairman, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, transmitting, pursuant to law, the annual report for calendar year 1998; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-3608. A communication from the Assistant Secretary of the Army (Civil Works), transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to the Upper Guadalupe River; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-3609. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 13-77, "Children's Defense Fund Equitable Real Property Tax Relief Act of 1999"; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-3610. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 13-76, "Apostolic Church of Washington, D.C., Equitable Real Property Tax Relief Act of 1999"; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-3611. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 13-70, "Ben Ali Way Act of 1999"; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-3612. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 13-69, "Criminal Code and Clarifying Technical Amendments Act of 1999"; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-3613. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 13-75, "Bethesda-Welch Post 7284, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Equitable Real Property Tax Relief Act of 1999"; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-3614. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 13-78, "General Obligation Bonds and Bond Anticipation Notes for Fiscal Years 1999-2004 Authorization Act of 1999"; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-3615. A communication from the Commissioner, Social Security, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the Office of Inspector General for the period October 1, 1998, through March 31, 1999; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-3616. A communication from the Chairman, National Endowment for the Arts, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the Office of Inspector General for the period October 1, 1998, through March 31, 1999; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-3617. A communication from the Chairman, Federal Housing Finance Board, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the

Office of Inspector General for the period October 1, 1998, through March 31, 1999; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-3618. A communication from the Chairman, National Credit Union Administration, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the Office of Inspector General for the period October 1, 1998, through March 31, 1999; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-3619. A communication from the Chairman, National Science Board, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the Office of Inspector General for the period October 1, 1998, through March 31, 1999; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-3620. A communication from the Executive Director, Interstate Commission on the Potomac River Basin, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the Office of Inspector General for the period October 1, 1997, through September 30, 1998; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-3621. A communication from the Chairman, Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the Office of Inspector General for the period of October 1, 1998, through March 31, 1999; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-3622. A communication from the Chairman, Board of Directors, Panama Canal Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the Office of Inspector General for the period of October 1, 1998, through March 31, 1999; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-3623. A communication from the Administrator, General Services Administration, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the Office of Inspector General for the period of October 1, 1998, through March 31, 1999; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-3624. A communication from the Secretary of Education, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the Office of Inspector General for the period of October 1, 1998, through March 31, 1999; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-3625. A communication from the Director of the Peace Corps, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the Office of Inspector General for the period of October 1, 1998, through March 31, 1999; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-3626. A communication from the Attorney General, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the Office of Inspector General for the period of October 1, 1998, through March 31, 1999; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-3627. A communication from the Chief Executive Officer, Corporation for National Service, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the Office of Inspector General for the period of October 1, 1998, through March 31, 1999; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-3628. A communication from the Chairman, Consumer Product Safety Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the Office of Inspector General for the period of October 1, 1998, through March 31, 1999; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-3629. A communication from the Secretary of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the Office of Inspector General for the period of October 1, 1998, through March 31, 1999; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

were referred or ordered to lie on the table as indicated:

POM-186. A petition from a citizen of the State of Florida relative to Social Security; to the Committee on Finance.

## REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. BURNS, from the Committee on Appropriations, without amendment:

S. 1205. An original bill making appropriations for military construction, family housing, and base realignment and closure for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2000, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 106-74).

By Mr. BENNETT, from the Committee on Appropriations, without amendment:

S. 1206. An original bill making appropriations for the legislative branch excluding House items for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2000, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 106-75).

By Mr. HATCH, from the Committee on the Judiciary, with an amendment and an amendment to the title and with a preamble:

S. Res. 34. A resolution designating the week beginning April 30, 1999, as "National Youth Fitness Week."

By Mr. HATCH, from the Committee on the Judiciary, without amendment and with a preamble:

S. Res. 81. A resolution designating the year of 1999 as "The Year of Safe Drinking Water" and commemorating the 25th anniversary of the enactment of the Safe Drinking Water Act.

S. Res. 98. A resolution designating the week beginning October 17, 1999, and the week beginning October 15, 2000, as "National Character Counts Week."

S. Res. 114. A resolution designating June 22, 1999, as "National Pediatric AIDS Awareness Day."

By Mr. HATCH, from the Committee on the Judiciary, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute:

S. 606. A bill for the relief of Global Exploration and Development Corporation, Kerr-McGee Corporation, and Kerr-McGee Chemical, LLC (successor to Kerr-McGee Chemical Corporation), and for other purposes.

By Mr. HATCH, from the Committee on the Judiciary, without amendment and with a preamble:

S.J. Res. 21. A joint resolution to designate September 29, 1999, as "Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States Day."

## INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills and joint resolutions were introduced, read the first and second time by unanimous consent, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. ASHCROFT (for himself, Mr. FITZGERALD, Mr. SHELBY, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. BURNS, Mr. KYL, and Mr. SPECTER):

S. 1199. A bill to require the Secretary of State to report on United States citizens injured or killed by certain terrorist groups; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Ms. SNOWE (for herself, Mr. REID, Mr. WARNER, Mr. TORRICELLI, Mr. JEFFORDS, Mr. MOYNIHAN, Mr. CHAFEE, Ms. MIKULSKI, Mr. SMITH of Oregon, Mrs. BOXER, Mr. SPECTER,

## PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The following petitions and memorials were laid before the Senate and

Mr. DURBIN, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. KERREY, Mr. ROBB, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. JOHNSON, Mr. LAUTENBERG, Mr. CLELAND, Mr. LEAHY, Mr. HARKIN, Mr. DODD, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. DASCHLE, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, Mrs. LINCOLN, Mr. INOUE, Mr. AKAKA, Mr. BAYH, Mr. LIEBERMAN, Mr. WELLSTONE, and Mr. BRYAN):

S. 1200. A bill to require equitable coverage of prescription contraceptive drugs and devices, and contraceptive services under health plans; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. SCHUMER:

S. 1201. A bill to prohibit law enforcement agencies from imposing a waiting period before accepting reports of missing persons between the ages of 18 and 21; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. CAMPBELL:

S. 1202. A bill to require a warrant of consent before an inspection of land may be carried out to enforce any law administered by the Secretary of the Interior; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Ms. MIKULSKI (for herself, Mr. FEINGOLD, Mr. DODD, Mrs. MURRAY, and Mrs. LINCOLN) (by request):

S. 1203. A bill to amend the Older Americans Act of 1965 to extend authorizations of appropriations for programs under the Act through fiscal year 2004, to establish a National Family Caregiver Support Program, to modernize aging programs and services, to address the need to engage in life course planning, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. GRAHAM:

S. 1204. A bill to promote general and applied research for health promotion and disease prevention among the elderly, to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to add preventive benefits, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. BURNS:

S. 1205. An original bill making appropriations for military construction, family housing, and base realignment and closure for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2000, and for other purposes; from the Committee on Appropriations; placed on the calendar.

By Mr. BENNETT:

S. 1206. An original bill making appropriations for the legislative branch excluding House items for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2000, and for other purposes; from the Committee on Appropriations; placed on the calendar.

By Mr. KOHL (for himself, Mr. BURNS, and Mr. HAGEL):

S. 1207. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to ensure that income averaging for farmers not increase a farmer's liability for the alternative minimum tax; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. MURKOWSKI:

S. 1208. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide that reimbursements for costs of using passenger automobiles for charitable and other organizations are excluded from gross income; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. MURKOWSKI (for himself, Mr. STEVENS, and Mr. SANTORUM):

S. 1209. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to restore pension limits to equitable levels, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. CHAFEE:

S. 1210. A bill to assist in the conservation of endangered and threatened species of

fauna and flora found throughout the world; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. BENNETT:

S. 1211. A bill to amend the Colorado River Basin Salinity Control Act to authorize additional measures to carry out the control of salinity upstream of Imperial Dam in a cost-effective manner; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. CAMPBELL:

S. 1212. A bill to restrict United States assistance for certain reconstruction efforts in the Balkans region of Europe to United States-produced articles and services; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. MCCAIN (for himself, Mr. CAMPBELL, and Mr. DOMENICI):

S. 1213. A bill to amend the Indian Child Welfare Act of 1978, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. THOMPSON (for himself, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. VOINOVICH, Mr. ROBB, Mr. COCHRAN, Mrs. LINCOLN, Mr. ENZI, Mr. BREAUX, Mr. ROTH, and Mr. BAYH):

S. 1214. A bill to ensure the liberties of the people by promoting federalism, to protect the reserved powers of the States, to impose accountability for Federal preemption of State and local laws, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Budget and the Committee on Governmental Affairs, jointly, pursuant to the order of August 4, 1977, with instructions that if one Committee reports, the other Committee have thirty days to report or be discharged.

By Mr. DODD (for himself, Mr. CONRAD, and Mr. LEAHY):

S. 1215. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to authorize the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to furnish headstones or markers for marked graves of, or to otherwise commemorate, certain individuals; to the Committee on Veterans Affairs.

By Mr. TORRICELLI (for himself and Mr. LAUTENBERG):

S. 1216. A bill to amend the Marine Mammal Protection Act of 1972 to establish a Marine Mammal Rescue Grant Program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

## SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions and Senate resolutions were read, and referred (or acted upon), as indicated:

By Mr. ASHCROFT (for himself, Mr. SHELBY, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. BURNS, Mr. KYL, and Mr. SPECTER):

S. Res. 115. A resolution expressing the sense of the Senate regarding United States citizens killed in terrorist attacks in Israel; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. FITZGERALD:

S. Res. 116. A resolution condemning the arrest and detention of 13 Iranian Jews accused of espionage; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. CAMPBELL:

S. Res. 117. A resolution expressing the sense of the Senate regarding the United States share of any reconstruction measures undertaken in the Balkans region of Europe on account of the armed conflict and atrocities that have occurred in the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia since March 24, 1999; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

## STATEMENTS ON INTRODUCED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

By Mr. ASHCROFT (for himself, Mr. FITZGERALD, Mr. SHELBY,

Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. BURNS, Mr. KYL, and Mr. SPECTER):

S. 1199. A bill to require the Secretary of State to report on United States citizens injured or killed by certain terrorist groups; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Mr. ASHCROFT. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the text of the bill be printed in the RECORD.

There being no objection, the bill was ordered to be printed in the RECORD, as follows:

S. 1199

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

### SECTION 1. REPORT ON TERRORIST ACTIVITY IN WHICH UNITED STATES CITIZENS WERE KILLED AND RELATED MATTERS.

(a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than October 1, 1999, and every 6 months thereafter, the Secretary of State shall prepare and submit a report, with a classified annex as necessary, to the appropriate congressional committees regarding terrorist attacks in Israel, in territory administered by Israel, and in territory administered by the Palestinian Authority. The report shall contain the following information:

(1) A list of formal commitments the Palestinian Authority has made to combat terrorism.

(2) A list of terrorist attacks, occurring between October 1, 1992 and the date of the report, against Israeli or United States citizens in Israel, in territory administered by Israel, or in territory administered by the Palestinian Authority, including—

(A) a list of all citizens of the United States killed or injured in such attacks;

(B) a list of all citizens of Israel killed or injured in such attacks;

(C) the date of each attack, the total number of people killed or injured in each attack, and the name and nationality of each victim;

(D) the person or group claiming responsibility for the attack and where such person or group has found refuge or support;

(E) a list of suspects implicated in each attack and the nationality of each suspect, including information on—

(i) which suspects are in the custody of the Palestinian Authority and which suspects are in the custody of Israel;

(ii) which suspects are still at large in areas controlled by the Palestinian Authority or Israel; and

(iii) the whereabouts (or suspected whereabouts) of suspects implicated in each attack.

(3) Of the suspects implicated in the attacks described in paragraph (2) and detained by Palestinian or Israeli authorities, information on—

(A) the date each suspect was incarcerated;

(B) whether any suspects have been released, the date of such release, whether the Secretary considers the release justified based on the evidence against the suspect, and whether any released suspect was implicated in subsequent acts of terrorism; and

(C) the status of each case pending against a suspect, including information on whether the suspect has been indicted, prosecuted, or convicted by the Palestinian Authority or Israel.

(4) Statistics on the release by the Palestinian Authority of terrorist suspects compared to the release of suspects in other violent crimes.